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**Government Notices**

**MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.**

**RAILWAY DEPARTMENT, Sydney,**  
14th December, 1888.

**CHEAP EXCURSION TRAINS.**

**SPECIAL** through Trains, conveying First and Second Passengers, will leave Sydney on **THURSDAY**, 15th December, and every following **THURSDAY** until further notice, calling at intermediate stations, as under:—

Granville, 11.18 a.m.  
Campbelltown, 12.00 p.m.  
Peters, 12.40 p.m.  
Mittaunga, 1.20 p.m.  
New Vale, 2.35 p.m.  
Marulan, 3.20 p.m.  
Goulburn, 4.35 p.m.  
Gunning, 5.25 p.m.  
Yass, 6.15 p.m.  
Harder, 7.45 p.m.  
Cootamundra, 8.45 p.m.  
Junee, 9.40 p.m.  
Wagga, 10.50 p.m.  
Albury, 11.50 a.m.

The Victorian train will leave Albury at 11.55 a.m., and run through to Melbourne arriving at 5.30 p.m.

Cheap Excursion Tickets, available for return for one month, will be issued by these trains at the following reduced rates:—

**FIRST CLASS** £ 6 0  
**CHILDREN** under 12 years of age, half fare.

These cheap tickets will be available only by return Special Trains leaving Melbourne at 4.15 p.m. on each **THURSDAY** and further notice.

Tickets need not be purchased not later than 4 p.m. on the **WEDNESDAY** preceding the date on which the train is about to start.

Passengers from stations on the Southern line not mentioned above may book at the cheap rates to Melbourne, and travel by the ordinary trains without charge to the nearest station to which the special is timed to stop.

By the order of the Commissioners,  
D. VERNON, Secretary for Railways.

Department of Lands,  
Sydney, November, 1888.

**TENDERS** for Leases under the Frickly-pool Destruction Act of 1880.

ATTENTION is directed to the notice in the Government Gazette of 23rd November, calling for TENDERS for Leases of

The Lands parcelled hereunder, viz.:-  
 Nos. 261, 262 and 2 on Trevellin, and Nos. 263, 264, 265, 266, 267 and 268 of Halesot and Newcastle, sections of Brisbane, area 261 and 268 acres respectively  
 Situated in the village of Aberdeen, are about 265 acres Reserve No. 120, parish of Bon-bell, county of Durham, area 26  
 Water Reserve No. 203, and about 30 acres of Crown lands adjoining part of Kew-ell, county of Durham, area about 400 acres.

Tenders will be received at this Department up to noon of MONDAY, 15th December.

Plans and conditions of lease may be inspected, and form of tender obtained, at the Lands Office, Scotch, by Mr. Inspector BROWN, and at the Lands Office, the Inquiry Office of this Department.

STEVENSON FREEMAN,  
 Under-Secretary,  
 Department of Mines, Sydney.  
 7th December, 1908.

**A** APPLICATIONS received in the Department of Mines for permission to mine under roads, etc., are, under the Mining Act, 1914, section 28.

FRANCIS ABIGAIL.

Date of application, November 30, 1908; date of receipt of application, December 1, 1908; name of applicant, G. Wilson and C. D. Dwyer, for Cullen Bullion Coal and Coke Co.; description of land applied for, 100 acres, the road running from the reserve from portions Nos. 4 and 283, and road forming the west boundaries of the reserve and portion No. 58, county Rockingham, parish Ben Bullion Railway Station, on the eastern side of Ben Bullion Railway station, on the eastern or northern side, running north 1 mile, east 1 mile, south 1 mile, and west 1 mile, and 1/2 mile, for purpose for which land is to be mined, for coal.

Date of application, November 30, 1908; date of receipt of application, December 3, 1908; name of applicant, J. F. Fox; description of land applied for, railway reserve No. 106, county Rockingham, parish Ben Bullion Railway Station, 1 chain from Ben Bullion Railway station, on the eastern or northern side, running north 1 mile, east 1 mile, south 1 mile, and west 1 mile, and 1/2 mile, for purpose for which land is to be mined, for coal.

Date of application on, December 4, 1908; date of receipt of application, December 4, 1908; name of applicant, The Portland Cement Works, Hartwood Coal works-(inc. Co., Limited); description of land applied for, 100 acres, the road running from portions Nos. 8, 23, 4, and 26, and road forming the west boundaries of portions Nos. 1 and 16, parish Pirrama, county of Sydney; purpose for which land is to be mined, for coal.

Department of Mines, Sydney.

**A** PPLICATIONS received in the Department of Mines for permission to mine under roads, are as follows:

**Mining Act, 1874, section 28.**

FRANCIS ABIGAIL.

Date of application, December 5, 1888; date of receipt of application, December 5, 1888; name of applicant, Francis Abigail; Description of land applied for, reserve No. 68, for railway purposes, at the Zigzag, county Coon, parish Lat., 121a; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

Date of application, December 4, 1888; date of receipt of application, December 4, 1888; name of applicant, W. Norton; description of land applied for, portion of section 20, north of portion Northumberland, parish Coorumburgh, west of portion Northumberland, section 20, north of portion Northumberland, and south of portion No. 12a; and extending from that portion south to the village reserve of Coorumburgh, exclusive of portion No. 29, 1280a; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

Date of application, December 18, 1888; date of receipt of application, December 18, 1888; name of applicant, Thomas Davies and William Kault; description of land applied for, part of road between measured portions Nos. 13 and 22, county Weyburn, parish Coorumburgh, 121a; purposes for which land is to be used, to mine for gold.

**ROAD FOR WATER SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE.**

**PETROLEUM PLANT FOR ASPHALT AND TENDERS FOR A PAVING PLANT FOR ASPHALT AND TENDERS FOR A PAVING PLANT FOR ASPHALT AND TENDERS FOR A PAVING PLANT FOR ASPHALT AND**

Attention is directed to the Government's Gazette paper, issuing TENDERS until noon, on TUESDAY, 8th January next, for the supply and erection of a complete Pumping Plant.

By order.

REGINALD BLOXSEME, Secretary.

Water Supply and Sewerage Department,  
Georgetown North, Sydney, December 16, 1888.

South Australia,  
Crown Lands Office, Adelaide,  
16th November, 1888.

**THE GOVERNMENT** will be prepared to receive applications from persons who are competent to underwrite the position of Inspector of Mines for the colony of South Australia. The salary will be at the rate of £400 per annum, payable monthly, and subject to pension when travelling on duty.

Applications must be received in this office not later than the 2nd January, 1888.

JENKIN COLES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

**ONE HUNDRED POUNDS BOXES**  
for  
INVENTION of a STONE and STUMP GATHERING  
MACHINE.  
PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

South Australia.  
Crown Lands Office, Adelaide,  
10th December, 1888.

A BONUS OF £100 is offered for the Invention of a Labour-  
Saving Implement capable of gathering up Stones and  
Stumps lying upon agricultural and other lands.  
Further particulars can be obtained on application at this  
Office.

JENKIN COLES,  
Commissioner of Crown Lands.

**Religious Announcements.**

**ST. JOHN'S, GLEBE POINT.**  
THE LORD PRIMATE will hold a CONFIRMATION in this  
Church THIS DAY, 27th (St. John's Day), at 10 o'clock, a.m.  
R. M. WALSHES, Minister.

**MIDDAY Prayer Meeting at Temperance Hall,**  
1 o'clock; preacher this day, Mr. H. Clark.

**Books, Publications, &c.**

**NEW YEAR CARDS, NEW YEAR CARDS.**  
DYMMOCK'S MARVELLOUS PACKETS.  
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R. BURTON, 263, George-street.







**MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL**

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Business was done in the import markets to the extent of £15,000 for 15 years in 4½ per cent debentures for the Borough of Ashfield was negotiated in London on the 15th November by the Australian Stock Bank. According to the Times, the sum amounted to £29,500, at prices from the minimum of £100 to £105. The average price obtained was £102 2d. Deducting 1¼s 10d., the amount of accretion given to the lenders, the price left them with an investment yielding £1 8s. 2d. per cent per annum.

It is promised to be a competitor with America and Australia for the trade in kerosene. According to the Times of India, Mr. Townsend, the expert, as the result of a recent examination of petroleum deposits in Upper Assam Valley, made by orders of the Government of India, gives a glowing account of the prospects. He is even hopeful enough to suggest that

time may not be far distant when we may be acquainted with American and Russian kerosene out of the oil fields of the West. The oil-fields of the West are not confined to one or two isolated places, but extend for miles continuously in the Tipton Hills, by hillsides and *valleys* being more or less marked by their presence. He also states:—"The oil collected in various places in the Makum field is of excellent quality, and such as to suggest proximity to the main source."

Wells sunk to (say) 400ft. to 600ft. will, I think, illustrate the oil measures in most parts of the West.

The Thythous and Khersones, from London, arrived to-day with general cargoes, valued at £16,500 and £30,300 respectively. The barque Carl Philip, from the Baltic, arrived with a cargo of lumber from Fredericksburg.

The Oceanic S. N. Company's R.M.S. Alameda left for San Francisco, via Auckland and Honolulu, at 11.17 a.m. with 4 packages wool samples, 1000 lbs. leather, 4185 ingots (78 tons), tin, 43 chests soap, 1 case soda, 22 bale cotton, 7 cases woollens, 16 cases

6 horses, and sundries. For Honolulu: 3  
brandy, 20 cases whisky, and 60 cases salt.

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**LATEST COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.**  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

**ADELAIDE WEDNESDAY.**

the depression in the breadstuffs market still continues. No sales are taking place. At Port Adelaide the nominal value is 4s. 6d. to 4s. 7d. for shipping and 5d. for farmers' lots, and at the outports according to where located, 4s. 2d. to 4s. 5d. is the market rate for ordinary roller flour, £11 to £11 15s.; ordinary super brands, £10 10s. to £10 15s.; household, £7 5s. to £8 0s. The Adelaide commercial world is quite at a standstill.

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**THE MAILS.**

LOCHRECH, 4.15 and 7 p.m.  
 MELBOURNE, 4 p.m.  
 OVERLAND AND LACHESBURY, 7 p.m.  
 THURSTON, 4 p.m.  
 THURSTON AND MORRIS, 9 a.m.  
 THURSTON AND NORTHERN PORTS, 9 a.m.  
 OVERLAND AND LACHESBURY, VIA EREN, 11 a.m.  
 (MURRAY W. A.), INDIA AND CONTINENT OF EUROPE, OVERLAND  
 MELBOURNE AND LONDON, THENCE PER 2. and O. Company's steam  
 SERVICE, 1.30 p.m.  
 UNITED KINGDOM, OVERLAND TO MELBOURNE, AND THENCE PER  
 O. Company's steamer Parramatta, 3 p.m.  
 UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENT OF EUROPE, OVERLAND  
 MELBOURNE AND LONDON, THENCE PER 2. and O. Company's steam  
 SERVICE, 3 p.m.  
 UNITED KINGDOM, OVERLAND TO MELBOURNE, AND THENCE PER M.  
 Company's steamer Oceanic, 3 p.m.  
 FRIDAY.  
 LANTILLA AND CYPRUS, 9 a.m.  
 LANTILLA AND NORTHERN PORTS, 4 p.m.

**SATURDAY.**  
PRINCE ALBERT AND EDMUN, 11 A.M.  
BARRENCE RIVER, 9 P.M.

**REPARTMENT OF MAILS FOR THE UNITED KINGDOM.**  
Perian to Melbourne, and thence per P. and O. Company's  
Parramatta, this day, December 27. Letters: Registered  
p.m.; ordinary for Perth (W.A.), India, and Continent  
up to 1.30 p.m.; for the United Kingdom only up to  
p.m.; 6d. the 4-oz. Newspapers: 1.30 p.m.; 1d. each. Letters  
for the United Kingdom only, will be received up to  
p.m.; extra fee, 6d. For rates to places other than the United  
Kingdom, apply to the General Post Office. Mails for the United Kingd  
P. and O. Company's steamer Victoria will be due in London  
on 4th February.

parcels addressed to the following destinations, will be received at the  
 offices of the United Kingdom Post Office at the following times:  
 1. 1.30 p.m., ordinary, 3 p.m., 6d the doc. Newspapers: 1 p.m.  
 1d each. Late letters will be received up to 4 p.m., extra  
 2d. Mails for the U.K. per M. S. Company's steamer Cleopatra  
 due in London on the 22d February.

**PARCEL MAIL.**  
 Parcels addressed to the following destinations, and certain foreign  
 countries via the United Kingdom, will be received at the  
 Chief Office, George-street, for transmission per Orient  
 Company's steamer Orient up to noon on FRIDAY, the 29th  
 January. Parcels must be posted in a letter-box, and  
 must be addressed to the Chief Office, where the necessary declaration  
 of contents and value must be signed. Parcels addressed  
 to other destinations will also be received at the Parcels Office for transmi-  
 ssion per German steamer, due to noon on FRIDAY, the 29th  
 January.

**TRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY**  
 1858. — At Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horne, &c.; at 12, Right  
 Gates, Booths, &c., Tattersall's Annual Meeting; Royal  
 &c., Highland, &c. — At Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horne, &c.  
 at Yards, at 10.30, Cowe, &c.; at 1.30, Calves, &c.; at 3.30  
 — NAKAMARA — At Meat Market, at 2, Beef, &c.  
 KELLY — At his Rooms, at 11, Drapery, Clothing, &c.  
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**CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.**

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**The Sydney Morning Herald.**

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1888.

The Scottish Borderers Regiment, the members of which took a prominent part in the recent battle at Buzian, will leave that port on Thursday next.

The Radical majority in the Serbian Assembly have thanked King Milan for framing a political constitution. The political situation in Serbia is now improving.

The *Wiener Tagblatt* states that King Milan has drafted an act of abdication in favour of his son, Prince Alexander, which is to be enforced if the new constitution is rejected by the National Assembly.

THIS step was decided upon in the interests of the 'Aetherland and of his Majesty's dynasty, so that when the Crown Prince ascends the throne his Royal Highness will find a more favourable position than his father did.

A DEMAND has been made by American men-of-war for the release of an American vessel detained by the Government of Haiti. The payment of an indemnity is also solicited. Under protest the Haytiens have agreed to comply with the demand.

At a rifle match fired between the Sydney Scottish and the Richmond Browers Rifle Club yesterday.

the Hatherston competitors won with 474 points to 456 scored by the Sydney representatives. Miller, of the Sydney team, secured the silver medal with the highest score of 57.

SIR ARTHUR BLAYDE, Agent-General for South Australia, has called to his Government that the appointment of Kintore as Governor of the colony is a suitable one.

Boxing Day in Sydney was observed in the usual manner. The weather was fine, but very warm. In the daytime the races were well attended, and the afternoon was spent in the usual manner. At night the theatres were crowded.

REPORTS from the country show that the holiday was generally observed. Extremely hot weather prevailed in all parts of the colony.

A DISASTROUS fire occurred at Grenfell on Christmas night. It originated either in the kitchen of the Presbyterian's Arms Hotel or in Keir's photographic gallery, and destroyed the greater part of the property in George-street. The total loss is estimated at between £10,000 and £13,000.

THE American baseball players arrived at Adelaide Tuesday morning, and were welcomed by the Mayor of the city. In their first match, played on the Oval, the All Americans scored 19 points to Chicago's 14.

THREE shooting accidents have occurred in the Plystone district during the past week through carelessness in the use of firearms.

In Brisbane on Saturday and Monday trails was the riskiest shopkeepers have ever experienced.

DEPRESSION in the Adelaide breadstuffs market still continues, with the result that no sales are being

A DRAFT of agreement has been submitted to the premier of Victoria for the establishment of a small arms factory. The document has been placed before the law officers of the Crown, and will probably be signed during the next fortnight.

ABOUT 11 o'clock yesterday morning a fire broke out in the west wing of the Alfred Hospital, at Malton, just above the main entrance to the second story, and, owing to the excellent management of the patients suffered slight loss of convenience, and were exposed to no danger. Considerable damage was done to the wing of the

In the Christmas Handicap Race, run at Adelaide yesterday, the racecourse Gasconade fell and killed himself.

JAMES E. CARMICHAEL, a clerk in the employ of the Enterprise Permanent Building Society of M-bourne, has been arrested in connection with the theft of the cashbox, containing £408, which took place on Monday night.

At Camberwell, Vic., last night, a man named John Anglin shot his brother-in-law, Herbert Rhodes, in the shoulder, and afterwards murdered his own wife by a

News from Adelaide states that Christmas Day was the hottest ever experienced. The thermometer registered over 107° in the shade and 150° in the sun.

The cricket match between the Australian Eleven and a similar number of New South Wales players was resumed on the Association Ground yesterday. At the termination of the day's play it was decided to discontinue the match. In the first innings New South Wales scored 842, and the Australians with 264 followed on. For the loss of nine wickets they

the members of the Board were to be paid for their services—whether they receive anything ultimately seems to be a matter of doubt—and it was not their province to decide whether this or that road should be made. They recommended, and the COMMISSIONARY SECRETARY gave the authority. The Board seems to have looked to the Government, and the Government seems to have looked to the Board.

Things should never have been allowed to drift into this position. The question of making roads on private lands at the public expense is a very delicate one. Nothing of the sort has been done before, excepting upon the recommendation of the officers of the department; the thing is a sheer don't.

The Government did not know what was going on at Hornsby and on the Hottelands estate, it ought to have known, and having become aware of the proceedings, it should have put a stop to them. It would be a strange thing if the Government, as a Government, was ignorant of what was going on in a place, and yet it is incredible that a Ministry having this knowledge should have allowed the proceedings to continue. The fact

at the TREASURER and two Ministerial supporters had an interest in the Hornsby property, and the Government on very delicate ground, and it should have taken care to keep itself beyond suspicion. There is nothing in the evidence taken by the Committee to show that undue influence was brought to bear upon the Casual Labour Board, and that the COLONIAL SECRETARY went out of his way to promote the making of the roads; but the fact remains that the Board could do nothing without the sanction of the COLONIAL SECRETARY, and the Government thus becomes responsible. After what has taken place, Ministers will be careful, we should imagine, to avoid any further responsibility of the kind.

The ruling of the PRESIDENT of the Legislative Council on the matter of privilege brought forward by Dr. CREED was a safe and, the whole, a sound one. Matters of privilege which either House will consider without notice relate, as a rule, to occurrences that have just taken place, and call for immediate action. That was not the case in this instance. Again, as the PRESIDENT pointed out, the House did not know what the end of the matter had been, and that knowledge was essential. Before the House could proceed to afford relief, it should know whether or not wrong was being suffered. And, lastly, the House ought not to be led into an assertion of its rights unless it were clear that its rights had been violated. Dr. CREED took the right step in proposing

move that all the papers in the case should be laid on the table, and Mr. MACINTOSH is to be commended for objecting to the motion. We cannot understand why any member of the House should wish to delay or prevent the publication of facts which are evidently of public interest.

Upon the case itself it would be inexpedient to pronounce an opinion on the length of an *ex parte* statement; but there are one or two points to which it may be well to direct attention, even at this stage. It will be remembered that in the early part of the year inquiry was being made by a Select Committee of the Legislative Council into some matters connected with the administration of the Torpedo Defence service. From the statement made in the Legislative Council

Wednesday, it appears that Lieutenant MMOWN, an officer in that service, answered some questions put to him as a witness by the Chairman of the Committee. The questions related to removal of a paragraph from a certain report under direction of the officer in charge of the Torpedo defences. He was afterwards asked upon by that officer to state whether he had informed any person of his opinion in regard to this paragraph, and if he had, to whom the information was given. Some time later on he was informed that his name had been omitted from the list of officers to be retained on the organisation of the Torpedo service. But he comes in the PRESIDENT's remark as to ignorance of the House about the

of the matter. This notice appears to have been given in September. What has happened since then? Before the House will consider whether it should take steps for the relief of Mr. HAMMOND, it was necessary to know whether he had lost his office or still held it. That, however, is a question of personal interest, and the question of public interest which calls for notice whether witnesses summoned before Parliamentary Committees and compelled to attend and to answer questions are to be called to account or be made to suffer for giving truthful evidence.

From the imperfect statement of the case before us it cannot be said with certainty that HAMMOND was called to account, or that he is suffering in consequence of evidence

before the Committee. He was not asked in express terms to explain his answers to the Chairman of the Committee, but he was asked in effect to say whether he had given the information to the Chairman which was the basis of those questions being put. It is important that this distinction should be drawn, because some serious issues arise out of it. There should be little doubt as to the gross impropriety of calling to account any witness before a Parliamentary committee for the evidence which he had given and been compelled to give, unless steps be taken towards prosecution for perjury. The House of Commons would make short work with any body found punishing a witness for giving truthful evidence. The House of Commons would act in such a case upon the same principle as the law courts.

privileges. Neither House in this colony the privileges of the House of Commons apply for the country. But it does not follow that offences of this class should be allowed here to pass with impunity. It is essential to the public interest that the Legislature and its committees should have power to prosecute effectually all inquiries which they may legitimately undertake. For that purpose the power must be given to compel both the attendance of witnesses and the answering of questions. But as a witness to whom this compulsion is applied is to be made a marked man, whatever he says, and to be prejudiced in his career afterwards, there will be, in the first place, a grave injustice, and in the next place, there will be a tendency on the part of witnesses to keep back more or less of the truth. In this colony witnesses are required to attend and give evidence, not under the

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rain 6, Albany December 17, Adelaide December 31, Melbourne December 25.

**THE OCEANA.**  
The P. and O. Company's R. M. S. Oceana left Adelaide, to-morrow.

### COLLISION BETWEEN WARSHIPS.

damage done to the vessel will have to be repaired temporarily

Name and rig.	Where from.	Date of sailing.	Remarks.
Abegdeille	.. sh London	Sept. 21	
Altcar	.. by Burrard's Inl.	..	Leading October 5
Altmore	.. sh London	Nov. 12	
Andrew Wood	.. by Glasgow	Oct. 15	
Annie W. Weston	.. by Boston	Oct. 17	
Arklow	.. sh Liverpool	Aug. 29	
Astoria	.. by Liverpool	Oct. 13	Only head-out 24
Athlet	.. by Hamburg	Aug. 29	

Y.	Atlantic ...	by Puget Sound	Nov. 9	To sail Dec. 27
	Arcadia ...	via London	Nov. 9	

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Rossex	... s.s. London	... Oct. 25	Via Adel. and Melb.
Rosemere	... 4-m sb. London	... Oct. 25	Shipping Oct. 15 to 19

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Y.	Kiandra ...	bq	Lundsvall ...	Oct.	8 Via Elsinore Oct. 20
that	Lord Canning ...	ah	London ...	Oct.	28

name	Lady Palmerston	sh Liverpool	Oct. 12
who	Loch Cree	bg Antwerp	Sept. 15 Via Prawle Sept. 21
gut-	Lochre	sh London	—
	Lochout	sch Thames, N. Z.	—
	Lochran's, Lassie	sh London	—
	London	bg Fleetwood	—
T.	Ludania	s.s. London	Nov. 10 Via Melb. Dec. 25
district	Lady Matheson	sh London	To sail Nov. 15

o alj	Liguria ...	a.s.	London	—	To sail Dec. 21
	Mariner ...	bu	Boston	Aug. 23	

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Zealandia	...s.s.	San Francisco	—	To sail Jan. 12
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**AN UNPAID PORT REGULATION.**

Instances of vessels entering the port from places beyond New South Wales without showing their flags as yet bound the Heads, in accordance with the above regulation, are not very common. The offence is for the most part one that vessels from Queensland ports are the most guilty of committing, and it is an offence which has been known to lead to considerable inconvenience to the Customs Department, if it has not absolutely, in certain cases, resulted in a loss of revenue. Why the vessels do this is not known, but they do not comply with the requirements of the law in this particular is probably, as they allege, because they carry no flag. In this regard the owners are in the wrong, and it is not to be wondered at, in the light of money expended unproductively, in ornamental unnecessary, and the masters do not see why they should supply the want not of the vessel, but of the Customs Department. However, be that as it may, in many instances in which the regulation is not complied with, vessels have been known to have on board the necessary business but still not to have known to themselves—perhaps under a belief that there is no imperative necessity to use signals—masters have sailed without having been signalled, and proceeded to their wharves right up to the harbour, and proceeded to discharge their cargo before discovered by the authorities that they had arrived. Instances might be cited in which vessels having proper dynamite, or other such dangerous goods on board, have taken the regulations here referred to in the most haphazard manner. It may be that the masters are ignorant of the fact that they run the risk of a heavy fine for so doing, but the plea of ignorance will not stand in such a case, nor will the plea of motion against them, as it probably sooner or later will be.

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SECOND NOTICE.

The contents of *Chambers's Journal* are as usual varied by variety and brevity. There are articles on "Recent discoveries in Egypt," on "Oxford has Science," on "The Quiver," which contains some "Suggestive anecdotes," and many other subjects. Itself contains an article on "A Trip to Dutchman's Land," which is illustrated, the interesting cuts representing scenes in Holland, and especially in Amsterdam. There is a "True Ghost Story," with an "Imaginational edifice," and an "Article applicable to the Quiver," and "The Quiver" appears as "Family Doctor," and on "Preparing to Face the Winter," and in the gardening department is an article "On Growing Chrysanthemums." The Quiver is as usual readable and well illustrated. Among the contents is an interview with the Rev. C. H. Spurgeon, by "Our Special Commissioner." It gives a portrait of the well known divine, and also contains a list of his home and his life in the interior of his pleasant home. Longman's has an essay setting forth "A Scheme in lieu of 'Payment by Result,'" which

conjunction with others, had developed a medium on earth for whom they were desirous of obtaining one of considerable experience in mundane and spiritual matters, where, with a few exceptions, they were "in the medium."

The representations of the spirit of the man named Robinson were sufficiently influential to induce the other spirit thus appealed to—whom we gather from the context to have been the shade of William Shakespeare—to undertake to develop a medium, ready to respond to the latter's demand. The latter had "long had a great desire to meet with a developed medium through whose organization he might give to the people of earth some of his experiences since entering spirit life, but that he had neither the patience nor the perseverance to undertake to develop a medium himself. With a view to furthering his purpose, he had selected Shakespeare as to whom he would speak through the medium in verse, as he would not write when on earth. A reply to the effect that the plays were written under the influence of the hand of poetic spirits, was accepted as sufficiently con-

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Lager Stand, beside various private vehicles from Grand Stand location. Arrived after much danger of being hit by a truck that sped for a cab stand, but had to tramp up and down wearily in the hope of seeing a sign the cab had been engaged, until his wife, Duffett, who was thoroughly sick, and so he could not remain in the driver's seat, and a new number, 50600, may imagine his task was not an enviable one.

I write now to point out that it is quite possible to arrange for a number to be placed in a certain position on certain points, such points to be designated by finger-post. For example, cabs having any number from, say 50600, should be placed in a certain fixed position, which might be made easily discoverable in the way I have indicated.

As things are now, I would rather travel in a tram than in a cab, and I would rather be a passenger than a driver, for, but have to exercise much care, you can easily find out the number of a cab, and the driver, and endeavor to find the flatter.

I am, &c.,  
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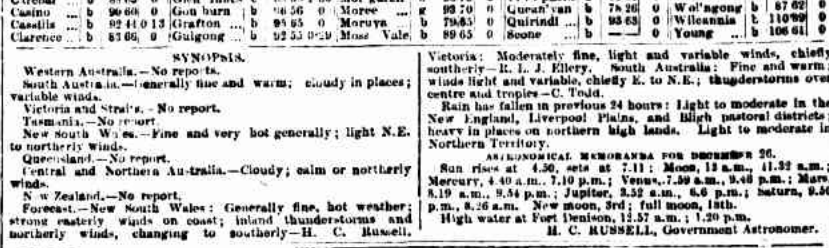
Map: Jersey Bay, C; Calaismore, W.G. Fort Meaquers, P.M.; Breckin, Charnes, S.E.; C. O'Brien, C; Bockhampton, B; Lough Raynons.

Weather at 8 a.m.: W. & S. by E. detached clouds, c. drizzling rain, d. fog; c. showers; g. heavy misty; m. frosty; n. overcast; v. passing showers; p. rain; s. snow; r. thunder; c. threatening; a.

Curve showing state of Barometer.

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[BY TELEGRAPH.]  
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—It was pitiful in the extreme to see the way in which the victims of the great London fire were treated to bustle and hunt about for their engaged cars. I met a friend, accompanied by his wife and two little children, who had a car engaged to meet him at the station. It was simply disgusting to behold the way in which he was obliged to run the gauntlet of an immense and infuriated mob of people, and to see his wife and children, and his car, all soiled and damaged.

Larger Strand, besides various private vehicles from the country, were also engaged to meet the victims, and, as it was difficult at the best to get apart for each stand, my friend

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